

Mill Help is Very Scarce.

Providence, Oct. 8.—Cotton mill agents in Rhode Island complain of a scarcity of labor in some departments and assert that in this respect the increase of wages granted early last summer did not have the beneficial result hoped for. The increase has not thus far drawn back a sufficient number of those who left the mills when wages were lowered and when there is dissatisfaction among workmen for other reasons.

In some mills, at present, more looms are stopped, than has been the case heretofore in the history of the industry in this State. In one large mill there are said to be six hundred looms idle, while a few years ago, the number of applicants for work exceeded the demand. A fifth of the looms in another large mill are said to be stopped for want of operatives.

This scarcity of labor has brought about keen competition among mill officials in offering inducements to families of workers to become permanent help and foremen and second hands are employed constantly in looking for new hands. In some instances the expenses of removing families and their household belongings from one village to another has been paid by the mill management so eager were they to secure experienced hands who can be depended on to remain permanently.

The Equinox.

The equinoctial gales that come at the period of the sun crossing the line that divides summer from winter, making the day and the night everywhere on the globe of equal length, which some times carries death and destruction as the last one did. The vernal equinox comes about the 21st of March, and the autumnal equinox about the 23d of September. This year it was before and after the time, and consequently there may be more bad weather to follow, at what period we do not know. Scientific astronomers miss some times.

Results of Neglect.

In most cases consumption results from a neglected or improperly treated cold. Foley's Honey and Tar cures the most obstinate coughs and prevents serious results. It costs you no more than the unknown preparations and you should insist upon having the genuine in the yellow package. Kaufman Drug Co.

Lady Falls from Street Car.

Mrs. I. V. Wessinger, who resides in Lexington county, about eight miles from the court house, fell from an electric car on Main street about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon and received injuries about the face and head which necessitated her being taken to the Columbia hospital. She is not thought to be seriously hurt.

The car from which the lady fell was coming down Main street on its trip to the union station from Bland street. As it was nearing Lady street, Mrs. Wessinger arose and before any of those on the car realized what occurred, she pitched headlong out of the side of the open car to the street. The car was quickly stopped and the injured lady was picked up unconscious and taken to the drug store of Dr. E. C. McGregor. An ambulance was summoned and she was taken to the hospital.—State, Oct. 12.

Dirt Cheap.

In his address at Darlington on the 5th inst., Mr. Smith, president of the South Carolina division of the Southern Cotton Association, told of his recent trip over the cotton belt before and since the storm and gave it as his opinion that there would be no more and likely less cotton made this year than last. He stated that "the price is dirt cheap at 12 1/2 cents," but he does not advise planters to hold above the 10 cents margin if they have obligations to meet.

Advice to Housewives.

No home is so pleasant, regardless of the comforts that money will buy, as when the entire family is in perfect health. A bottle of Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup costs 50 cents. It will cure every member of the family of constipation, sick headache or stomach trouble. Kaufman Drug Co.

A Few Points.

Keep powder, pistols, shot guns and poisonous drugs out of the reach of children.

Do not let the long continued rains prevent the sowing of that rye lot for the milch cows and horses.

If you have some sound cotton seed made last year hold to them. You may need them for planting next spring.

Put your plow stocks, harrows and all implements in good condition, so as to get in the small grain when the weather clears.

Bear in mind that one acre well prepared and fertilized will make more small grain than two acres put in carelessly.

Do not get in a rush and break your land too wet for wheat. It will take it two years to get over it.

Do not fret and fume around the kitchen if the meals are not prepared on time.

Never carry your business troubles into the family circle. That is no place for them.

Do not hold the little children up to a standard of behavior suited to three score and ten years.

Nothing to Fear.

Mothers need have no hesitancy in continuing to give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to their little ones, as it contains absolutely nothing injurious. This remedy is not only perfectly safe to give small children, but is a medicine of great worth and merit. It has a world wide reputation for its cures of coughs, colds and croup and can always be relied upon. For sale by The Kaufmann Drug Co.

Obituary.

Mr. Paul Berk Harman was born August 25, 1851, departed this life September 11, 1906, aged 55 years, 17 days.

He was baptized in infancy, and when quite a young man united with St. John's Lutheran church, but was later transferred to St. Peter's Lutheran church of which he remained a consistent member until death called him to the church triumphant above.

The funeral service was conducted in Pisgah church and the remains interred in the cemetery near by to await the resurrection of the just.

He leaves a devoted wife, two sons, seven daughters, four grand children, two brothers, one sister and many other relatives and friends.

His last words to his youngest son, a lad of 13 years, were—"be a good boy." And, Oh! that all would take it to heart as the advice of the dying, and "be good" until called away to their long reward. We believe his reward is a good and happy one.

J. W. N.

Agreed to Kill Themselves.

Liberty, Mo., Oct. 11.—As the outcome of a suicide compact Jesse Webb, son of a prominent farmer, was today shot and dangerously wounded by his wife at their home at Smithville, near here. Mrs. Webb then shot herself through the heart, dying instantly. The couple had been married but one week and were yet on their honeymoon trip. Webb, who had been suffering from tuberculosis, became worse during the last few days. In a statement secured he says that his wife and he had talked the matter over and decided "it was better to end it all."

A Badly Burned Girl.

or boy, man or woman, is quickly out of pain if Bucklen's Arnica Salve is applied promptly. G. J. Welch, of Tekonsha, Mich., says: "I use it in my family for cuts, sores and all skin injuries, and find it perfect." Quickest cure known. Best healing salve made. 25c. at The Kaufmann Drug Co's., drug store.

A Lone Lyncher.

Wm. McFall, of Anderson county, has placed his name on the list of lone lynchers. McFall stated that George Keasler, a negro, had insulted his wife by taking hold of her arm. McFall was close at hand and when his wife informed him of the fact he took a buggy trace and beat him to death. Before he ceased to breathe he placed him in a buggy intending to dump him over on the Georgia side of the State line, but the negro died on the way. He went in and surrendered to the sheriff.

Signs of a Hard Winter.

That the coming winter is going to be the hardest one for the past twenty years there is an abundance of signs to show, and among them it may be mentioned that:

The corn husks are a foot and a half thick, and all the stalks lean to the west.

The geese, ducks and chickens are growing a coat of fur under their feathers, and are rubbing borax on their feet to harden them up.

All the one-eye owls are leaving the country a month earlier than usual, and the bob-tailed squirrels are laying in sweet potatoes, as well as nuts, for winter provisions.

The farmer who has taken the trouble to investigate has found that all the toadstools on the old logs have wrinkled in them. The last time that this happened he had winter weather that froze the handles of plows.

Rabbits are sitting around with humped-up look to them, and field mice have wrinkles in their tails. If this means anything it means 20 degrees below zero from November through to May.—Tryon Herald.

An Awful Cough Cured.

"Two years ago our little girl had a touch of pneumonia, which left her with an awful cough. She had spells of coughing, just like one with the whooping cough and some thought she would not get well at all. We got a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which acted like a charm. She stopped coughing and got stout and fat," writes Mrs. Ora Bussard, Brubaker, Ill. This remedy is for sale by The Kaufmann Drug Co.

Melton's Successor.

Washington, October 10.—Abial Lathrop, of Orangeburg, former United States attorney for South Carolina, has been appointed assistant attorney in place of Lawson Melton. The appointment was made on the recommendation of District Attorney Cochran. The department of justice makes the appointment of all assistant attorneys on the recommendation of the district attorneys.—Evening Record.

Boxer Rising in China.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 10.—Another serious outbreak by Boxers is threatened in China, according to advices received here. In districts west of Pekin outrageous crimes have been committed by organized bands of Boxers. The movement is spreading and serious troubles are feared unless agitators can be suppressed immediately.

Torments of Tetter and Eczema Allayed.

The intense itching characteristic of eczema, tetter and like skin diseases is instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Salve and many severe cases have been permanently cured by its use. For sale by The Kaufmann Drug Co.

The Peabody Fund.

About \$9,000 has been received by Supt. Martin for various school purposes in this State this year from the Peabody fund, which was expended as follows: \$5,000 to Winthrop college; \$2,000 was given for summer school work; \$1,000 to assist schools consolidated and are taking steps to broaden their course of studies, and \$1,000 was turned over to the Woman's Association for the Improvement of Rural Schools in the State.

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Mrs. Chas. F. Brown, Vice-President Mothers' Club, 21 Cedar Terrace, Hot Springs, Ark., writes:

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Women who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, bloating (or flatulence), displacements, inflammation or ulceration, that "bearing-down" feeling, dizziness, faintness, indigestion, or nervous prostration may be restored to perfect health and strength by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Negroes Lynch Negro.

Dallas, Texas, Oct. 10.—Anthony Davis, a negro, was lynched by negroes at Texarkana, late last night. He had been arrested and bailed out on the charge of assaulting a sixteen-year-old negro girl. A mob of negroes caught him and strangled him to death with a rope by dragging him about the negro settlements.

School Books and Stationery.

On account of the State depository being unable to get a full stock of school books from the publishers it has caused much inconvenience in the schools of the State, and many books on the list, even at this date, cannot be supplied. We are promised that soon, however, all the difficulty will be over and that orders will be filled and shipped on receipt of order.

For fear of misunderstanding as to what exchanges may be made, we state the following requirements for the information of the public.

The books offered for exchange must be those that have been in actual use in the school room during the past year.

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